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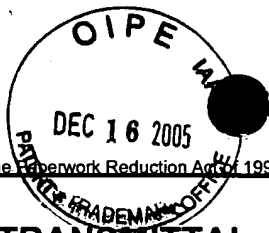
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PETITION FEE
Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g) & (h)
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Enclosed is a petition filed under 37 CFR 1.47 that requires a processing fee (37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), or (h)). Payment of \$ 200.00 is enclosed.

This form should be included with the above-mentioned petition and faxed or mailed to the Office using the appropriate Mail Stop (e.g., Mail Stop Petition), if applicable. For transmittal of processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17(i), see form PTO/SB/17i.

Payment of Fees (small entity amounts are NOT available for the petition fees)

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. _____:
- ☐ petition fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g) or (h) ☐ any deficiency of fees and credit of any overpayments
- Enclose a duplicative copy of this form for fee processing.
- ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 or equivalent enclosed). Do not provide credit card information on this form.

Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(f): Fee \$400 Fee Code 1462

For petitions filed under:

- § 1.53(e) - to accord a filing date.
 § 1.57(a) - to accord a filing date.
 § 1.182 - for decision on a question not specifically provided for.
 § 1.183 - to suspend the rules.
 § 1.378(e) - for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing to accept delayed payment of maintenance fee in an expired patent.
 § 1.741(b) - to accord a filing date to an application under § 1.740 for extension of a patent term.

Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(g): Fee \$200 Fee Code 1463

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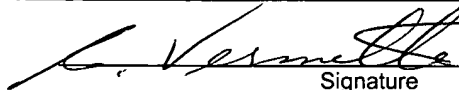
- § 1.12 - for access to an assignment record.
 § 1.14 - for access to an application.
 § 1.47 - for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor.
 § 1.59 - for expungement of information.
 § 1.103(a) - to suspend action in an application.
 § 1.136(b) - for review of a request for extension of time when the provisions of section 1.136(a) are not available.
 § 1.295 - for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.
 § 1.296 - to withdraw a request for publication of a statutory invention registration filed on or after the date the notice of intent to publish issued.
 § 1.377 - for review of decision refusing to accept and record payment of a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.
 § 1.550(c) - for patent owner requests for extension of time in *ex parte* reexamination proceedings.
 § 1.956 - for patent owner requests for extension of time in *inter partes* reexamination proceedings.
 § 5.12 - for expedited handling of a foreign filing license.
 § 5.15 - for changing the scope of a license.
 § 5.25 - for retroactive license.

Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(h): Fee \$130 Fee Code 1464

For petitions filed under:

- § 1.19(g) - to request documents in a form other than that provided in this part.
 § 1.84 - for accepting color drawings or photographs.
 § 1.91 - for entry of a model or exhibit.
 § 1.102(d) - to make an application special.
 § 1.138(c) - to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.
 § 1.313 - to withdraw an application from issue.
 § 1.314 - to defer issuance of a patent.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION

Serial Number: 10/530,014
Title: MULTIPLE PLATE COMBUSTOR
Filing Date: October 1, 2003
Inventor: Mehrzad Movassagi
Assignee: Powertech Industries Inc.
Our File: 1491-148

December 15, 2005

U.S. Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C.
U.S.A. 20231

Dear Sirs/Mesdames

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIRMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371
IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE**

Please find the following enclosed in response to the Notification of Missing
Requirements dated September 16, 2005:

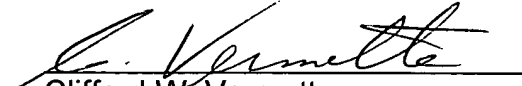
1. Copy of Specification as filed, complete with attached Declaration and Power of Attorney;
2. Copy of the Declaration and Petition as filed in the United States Office, Petitions branch on December 14, 2005. As an Inventor has been unreachable to sign the Declaration, the enclosed documents were submitted to petition to proceed without the unsigning Inventor;
3. Petition for One-Month Extension of Time
4. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts; and
5. Fee Calculated as follows:

Basic filing fee	\$
Independent Claims over 3 (___x\$)	\$
Claims over 20 (___x\$)	\$
Late Filing Fee Surcharge:	\$
One-month Extension:	\$60.00
Total Amount Enclosed:	\$60.00

It is respectfully submitted that this is a full and complete response to the Notification of Missing Requirements and further consideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Should any further documentation be required the Office is encouraged to contact the undersigned by telephone.

Dec 15 / 05
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/01/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/01/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/01/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/01/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/01/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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